

Eagle Lake Little League Schedule Set

League Openers Are Slated For Monday, May 3rd

Eagle Lake Little League announces its 1982 schedule with the opening game in the 1982 summer competition set for Monday, May 3rd. The schedule is as follows:

Mon., May 3: 5:30 Eagles vs. Fillies, 7:00 A's vs. Mets, 8:30 Honey Bees vs. Red Sox.

Tues., May 4: 5:30 Cubs vs. Dodgers, 7:15 Angels vs. Blue Belles, 8:30 Pirates vs. Yanks.

Wed., May 5: 5:30 Red Sox vs. Sox, 7:15 Bumble Bees vs. Cowpokes, 8:30 Mets vs. A's.

Thurs., May 6: 5:30 Red Sox vs. Honey Bees, 7:15 Tigers vs. Angels, 8:30 Fillies vs. Eagles.

Fri., May 7: 5:30 Yanks vs. Pirates, 7:00 A's vs. Mets, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Cubs.

Mon., May 10: 5:30 Eagles vs. Honey Bees, 7:15 Bumble Bees vs. Tigers, 8:30 Red Sox vs. Sox, 7:15 Bumble Bees vs. Cowpokes, 8:30 Mets vs. A's.

Tues., May 11: 5:30 Cubs vs. Dodgers, 7:15 Blue Belles vs. Bumble Bees, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Yanks.

Wed., May 12: 5:30 Mets vs. Sox, 7:15 Cowpokes vs. Tigers, 8:30 Red Sox vs. A's.

Thurs., May 13: 5:30 Red Sox vs. Yanks vs. Mets, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Cubs.

Mon., May 17: 5:30 Eagles vs. Honey Bees, 7:15 Bumble Bees vs. Angels, 8:30 Fillies vs. Red Sox.

Fri., June 4: 5:30 Cubs vs. Pirates, 7:00 Mets vs. Sox, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Yanks.

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Tues., June 8: 5:30 Pirates vs. Dodgers, 7:15 Bumble Bees vs. Blue Belles, 8:30 Yanks vs. Cubs.

Wed., June 9: 5:30 Sox vs. A's, 8:30 Red Sox vs. Mets, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Yanks.

Thurs., June 10: 5:30 Sox vs. A's, 8:30 Red Sox vs. Mets, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Yanks.

Fri., June 11: 5:30 Pirates vs. Dodgers, 7:00 Mets vs. Sox, 8:30 Honey Bees vs. Cubs.

Mon., May 24: 5:30 Red Sox vs. Honey Bees, 7:00 Mets vs. A's, 8:30 Fillies vs. Eagles.

Wed., May 25: 5:30 Yanks vs. Pirates, 7:15 Blue Belles vs. Bumble Bees, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Sox.

Thurs., May 26: 5:30 Sox vs. Red Sox, 7:15 Angels vs. Tigers, 8:30 A's vs. Mets.

Fri., May 27: 5:30 Eagles vs. Fillies, 7:15 Cowpokes vs. Bumble Bees, 8:30 Honey Bees vs. Red Sox.

Fri., May 28: 5:30 Cubs vs. Dodgers, 7:00 Red Sox vs. Sox.

Thurs., May 13: 5:30 Red Sox vs. Yanks vs. Mets, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Cubs.

8:30 Pirates vs. Yanks.

Mon., May 31: 5:30 Red Sox vs. Fillies, 7:00 Red Sox vs. A's, 8:30 Honey Bees vs. Eagles.

Tues., June 1: 5:30 Yanks vs. Dodgers, 7:15 Blue Belles vs. Angels, 8:30 Pirates vs. Cubs.

Wed., June 2: 5:30 Sox vs. Mets, 7:15 Tigers vs. Cowpokes, 8:30 A's vs. Red Sox.

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Democrats List 18 Polling Places For May 1st Election

Precinct Conventions To Follow At 7:15 P.M.

Robert C. Schüring, Colorado County chairman for the Democratic Party, announces eighteen polling places for the forthcoming Democratic Primary Election to be held on May 1st, 1982.

The polls will be open in all of the polling places from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Absentee voting may be done in the County Clerk's office in the County Courthouse in Columbus from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. through next Tuesday, April 27th.

Schüring also announces that the Democratic Party Precinct Conventions will convene at 7:15 p.m. sharp at the same locations where the voting will be done on Sat., May 1st.

The eighteen voting precincts in this county include:

No. 1, Columbus, Court-house, Columbus, Texas.

No. 2, Glidden, First Baptist Church Annex, Glidden, Texas.

No. 3, Altair, Crossroad Grocery Store, Altair, Texas.

No. 4, Garwood, Lions Hall, Garwood, Texas.

No. 5, Nada, St. Mary's Parish Hall, Nada, Texas.

No. 6, Rock Island, Rock Island Community Center, Rock Island, Texas.

No. 7, Sheridan, Sheridan School Gymnasium, Sheridan, Texas.

No. 8, Oakland, Oakland Community Center, Oakland, Texas.

No. 9, Weimar, City Hall, Weimar, Texas.

No. 10, Buescher, Sunset Plaza, Hwy. 71, Columbus, Texas.

No. 11, Shaws Bend, Edwin Poinsettch Residence, Rt. 1, Columbus, Texas.

No. 12, Brushy, Albert Werland Residence, Rt. 1, Columbus, Texas.

No. 13, Freisburg, Heinsoh's Store, Freisburg, Tex.

No. 14, Mentz, Dining Hall, Mentz, Texas.

No. 15, Bernardo, Fire Dept. Building, Bernardo.

8:30 Dodgers vs. Cubs.

Mon., June 21: 5:30 Fillies vs. Red Sox, 7:00 A's vs. Red Sox, 8:30 Honey Bees vs. Eagles.

Tues., June 22: 5:30 Dodgers vs. Yanks, 7:00 Mets vs. Sox, 8:30 Cubs vs. Pirates.

Thurs., June 24: 5:30 Eagles vs. Honey Bees, 7:00 Red Sox vs. A's, 8:30 Red Sox vs. Fillies.

Fri., June 25: 5:30 Pirates vs. Cubs, 7:00 Sox vs. Mets, 8:30 Yanks vs. Dodgers.

Mon., June 28: 5:30 Eagles vs. Red Sox, 7:00 A's vs. Sox, 8:30 Fillies vs. Honey Bees.

Tues., June 29: 5:30 Cubs vs. Yanks, 7:00 Mets vs. Red Sox, 8:30 Dodgers vs. Pirates.

Thurs., July 1: 5:30 Honey Bees vs. Fillies, 7:00 Sox vs. A's, 8:30 Red Sox vs. Eagles.

Fri., July 2: 5:30 Pirates vs. Dodgers, 7:00 Red Sox vs. Mets, 8:30 Yanks vs. Cubs.

The team listed first will be considered the home team and will sit on the first base side. Also, that team will be responsible for having umpires and an official score-keeper for the game.

Tractor Damages Becak Home In Garwood Mon.

The driver of a tractor headed south on Highway 71 at 2 p.m. Monday left the roadway when the driver, Norbert J. Popp of Nada, apparently blacked out and the tractor plowed into the left front side of the Frank J. Becak home causing considerable damage to the home.

Highway Patrolman Joel Garcia was the investigating officer. He said that Popp had just picked up the tractor at the nearby Garwood Implement Co. and was headed home when he blacked out. The tractor crashed through the brick wall and into the kitchen of the home, causing heavy damage to cabinets, appliances and plumbing. The patrolman said the tractor almost went completely into the house. Fortunately Popp escaped injury and fortunately there was no one in the area of the house which was struck by the tractor, a 1970 model International tractor.

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Pickup Forced Off County Road, Crashes Into Creek

Three youth, including two from this area, escaped serious injury Sunday night near Lissie when the vehicle in which they were riding was forced off a county road by a unidentified passing vehicle.

Stephen Penzell of Eagle Lake, driving a pick-up truck, and passengers Wayne Fisher of Lissie and Monica Krpee of Rosenberg, were traveling on the county road near Lissie about 9:30 p.m. Sunday when another vehicle, which failed to stop and render aid, forced them off the road and into a nearby creek.

Penzell was thrown through the windshield upon impact and received several cuts on the arms and head but was not seriously hurt and was able to attend classes at Rice High School Monday morning.

Krpee and Fisher both received several cuts and bruises in the incident and were kept in the Eagle Lake Community Hospital overnight for observation and were later released.

None of the youth were able to recognize the other vehicle involved in the incident.

Soil Conservation District News

Billy Strunk, a district cooperater of the Oakland area, has completed shaping an eroded area in the Altair area.

Planning assistance was given to Timothy Casey on his land south of Rock Island.

Joe Kuhnke is planning to construct a pond on his farm in the Columbus area.

Phil Willenberg is constructing a pond on his farm in the Rock Island area.

District cooperater Frank



SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT IN EAGLE LAKE

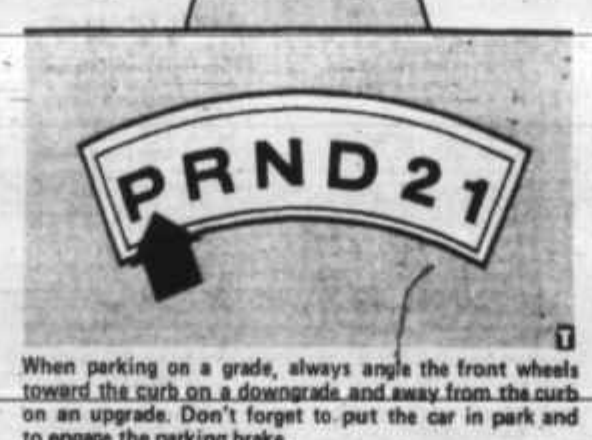
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April 30, May 1 & 2

• 1st Team Trophies • Gold Glove Outfielder
• 3rd Individual Trophies • Gold Glove Infielder
• 10 All Tournament • Most Valuable Player

ENTRY FEE \$75.00
To Enter, Contact
Mateo Navarro - 234-3860
Teams will meet at City Ball Park Apr. 25, 6:30, to draw brackets

Your Highway Safety

Tips From Experts At United Parcel Service
SAFE DRIVING DOESN'T END WHEN IGNITION IS TURNED OFF



When parking on a grade, always angle the front wheels toward the curb on a downgrade, and away from the curb on an upgrade. Don't forget to put the car in park and to engage the parking brake.

Most good drivers realize that safe driving doesn't end when you turn off your ignition. That's why it's surprising that so many drivers still think that the possibility of a parked automobile becoming a runaway could happen only in a hilly city, such as San Francisco. Actually, a parked car could become a runaway on an ever-slight grade, whether on a Dallas street, or in other cities with flat terrain.

When parking on a grade, there are certain obvious things to do in addition to turning off the ignition:

- Angle the front wheels toward the curb on a downgrade, away from the curb on an upgrade.
- Put the car in park, or the lowest forward gear.
- Engage the parking brake.

Adhering to these simple procedures will provide you with a vital extension to truly safe driving.

Poster, Essay Contest Winners



Essay and poster conservation contest winners in competition sponsored by Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District were honored at the Columbus Lions Club's annual conservation awards banquet in Columbus Monday night. At the top, James D. Seymour, Jr., represented Colorado County Federal Savings and Loan Association in presenting awards to the essay winners: Sharrt Popp, left, fourth place; and Sandra Korenek, right, second place. Unable to be present were: John Lee Korenek, Jr., first place winner; and Audrey Lynn Williams, third.

In the bottom photo are the poster winners: left to right, Linda Gold, second; Troy Koehl, third; Marsha Hoffman, fourth; and Keith Charles Korenek, first.

Alfred Wicks Carry On Outstanding Conservation Work

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wick of Route 3, Weimar, Texas, were named the 1981 Resident Conservation Farmers of the Year in the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District at the Columbus Lions Club's annual conservation banquet in Columbus Monday night.

The announcement was made by Connie Fair, District Conservationist; and the Wicks were presented an engraved plaque by James Yearwood, President of the Columbus Neen Lions Club.

Fair's report on the conservation work carried on by the Wick family follows:

The Wick's Story
Alfred Wick of Route 3, Weimar, Texas, was born and reared on the place he and his wife, the former Althaus Dreescher of Menz, now own and live on. Mr. Wick not only practices conservation in his farm, but he also tells his conservation success story wherever he goes. He and Mrs. Wick have raised three sons and one daughter on this farm.

Mr. Wick became a cooperater with the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District in July of 1975 when he became interested in the LTA (long term agreement) program. He read about the cost share assistance available to him in the local paper and signed up as a participant in the program. Personnel from the Soil Conservation Service assisted Mr. Wick in developing a conservation plan so that together they could work to accomplish his objectives.

Alfred began carrying out his conservation plan in October of 1975 when he started construction on the pond. In 1976, he constructed

Take Part In Easter Seal Shoot-Out



Participants in the Easter Seal Basketball Shoot-Out at Eagle Lake Middle School which netted the Easter Seal drive a total of \$1,643.77 are shown above: front row, left to right, Rhonda Prazak, Stephanie Causey, Bobby Wied, Javier Cano, Page Paschall, Lori Flores, Tatanisha Dowdy, Clay Hosman; second row, left to right, Prisca Cantu, Marisel Salinas, Elsa Rodriguez, Cathy Castillo, Elaine Contreras, Devin Van Nort, Kelsie Brown, Lloyd Jackson, third row, left to right, Lena Castillo, Sherri Frake, Frances Cobia, Viola Cordova, Camille Mitchell, Richard Spates, Nichole Shorter, Ricky Rodriguez; fourth row, left to right, coach Vivian Rollins, Kevin Brown, Anthony Milligan, Paul Marsalis, Shannon Glover, Lakeisha Jackson, Ben Gonzales, Shalanda Williams and coach Ric Weaver. -ELMS Photo.

32 From ELMS Take Part In Basketball Shoot-Out

Thirty-two students from Eagle Lake Middle School participated enthusiastically in the statewide Easter Seal Basketball Shoot-Out held here earlier this year. In a three minute time period, students solicited pledges from community sponsors for each basket shot, according to Principal David Mims.

Two statewide winners, Michael Guzman and Mike Kreuse, sat on the bench with

Three Top Winners

Top winners in the local competition were: Paul Marsalis who earned \$292.50; Devin Van Nort, \$249.90; and Ben Gonzales, \$249.90. Each received a plaque, T-shirt and patch for his donation.

Others participating and receiving a T-shirt and/or patch were: Anthony Carlton Milligan, who made the most baskets and earned \$32.48; Marisel Salinas, \$141.23; Lorie Flores, \$134.47; Mark Kucherka, \$127.50; Page Paschall, \$124.05; Viola Cordova, \$100.00; Ricky Rodriguez, \$71.00; Clay Hosman, \$69.00; Lloyd Jackson, \$68.50; Cathy Castillo, Richard Spates, \$52.45; Elsa Rodriguez, \$47.50; Sherri Frake, \$28.85; Frances Cobia, \$24.00; Stephanie Causey, Rhonda Prazak, \$18.50; Shalanda Williams, \$18.00; Bobby Wied, Prisca Cantu, \$16.14; Tatanisha Dowdy; Kevin Brown, \$12.00; Camille Mitchell, \$10.30; Elaine Contreras, \$8.00; Kelsie Brown, \$6.50; Javier Cano, Nichole Shorter, \$4.50; Shannon Glover; Lakeisha Jackson; and Lena Castillo, \$16.00, for a grand total of \$1,643.77.

Ray Obenhaus Reports Theft Of Farm Equipment

Colorado County Sheriff's Department investigated theft of farm equipment from Ray Obenhaus of Eagle Lake and entry of a coffee room at WellTech, Inc. east of Columbus during the past week.

At 2:30 p.m. Thursday, April 15th, Ray Obenhaus reported the theft of some farm equipment from a location off of Calhoun Road.

Taken from a John Deere Diskbedder were two crop-type disks. The disks were valued at approximately \$800.00.

The theft occurred sometime within the past two weeks, said the sheriff's office.

Kenneth Spencer, an employee of WellTech, Inc. east of Columbus, reported at 2:30 p.m. Monday, April 19th that

KC's Cancel BBQ On Sunday, May 2

Eagle Lake Knights of Columbus announce cancellation of their monthly barbecue chicken sales for Sunday, May 2nd only. Orders placed with the KC's for May 2nd will be carried over to the next first Sunday on June 6th.

The KC's invite all to make plans to attend the Eagle Lake Lions Club barbecue and golf tournament at the Recreation Center on May 2nd.

Vehicle, \$500 Stolen, Says Truchard

Dennis Truchard, owner of a business east of Columbus, reported to the County Sheriff's Department on April 12th that an employee had taken off in Truchard's vehicle and the receipts of about \$500.00 from the business.

Charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and felony theft were filed on Ray Nolan. Other information is unknown at this time, said officers.

The vehicle has since been found in Houston and Nolan is being sought by officers.

Dance Sat. To Benefit Quad. Catholic Church

A benefit dance will be held at the Eagle Lake Community Center this Saturday, April 24th from 8 to 1 with proceeds earmarked for the benefit of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

The event is being sponsored by Taco Tony's Mexican Restaurant. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Garcia, owners. Music for the event will be provided by Los Principes Negros de Rene Matamoros and Sangre Joven Tropical of Houston.

The public is invited to support the event. Admission will be \$8.00 in advance and \$10 at the door Saturday night.

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Blood Drive At Sheridan On May 6

Did you know that every 3 1/2 seconds someone needs a blood transfusion? That means 16 people every minute, 907 every hour, 25,287 every day, or 10 million every year.

At any time, without warning, you could be counted among them. Members of the Sheridan Lions Club are aware of the great need for voluntary blood donations and are sponsoring a blood drive on Thursday, May 6.

Skilled personnel from the Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center will screen and draw donors from 1 to 4:30 and 6 to 8 p.m. in the Sheridan Community Center.

If you are in good health, you probably can be a blood donor. You must be between the ages of 18 (17 with signed parental consent) and 65 and weigh at least 110 pounds. You must never have had a history of hepatitis or yellow jaundice, internal cancer requiring surgery or coronary artery (heart) disease.

To make an appointment to donate on May 6, call Jean Walker at 234-3081. If you have questions about donating blood, call The Blood Center at 791-6360.

Give the Gift of Life - Give Blood!